<u>NEWS RELEASE</u>

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DEPUTY ATTACKED BY MAN IN CUSTODY

WARRENTON – A deputy was attacked on Friday, February 14, 2020, at Fauquier Hospital. At approximately 7:15 a.m. a deputy maintaining security of a man in law enforcement custody was suddenly attacked while in an exam room.

During the assault the deputy was punched and kicked and suffered minor injuries. The suspect, **Jorge Covarrubias Cuevas**, **30**, of Marshall, was eventually brought under control. He has been charged with two counts of felony assault on law enforcement.

The deputy was treated for injuries. Cuevas was held with no bond at the Fauquier County Adult Detention Center at the time of his arrest.



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